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## REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Monday, September 29, 2003

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated June 27, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.